



# Common Human Resource Information Standards

## DoD Armed Forces Branch

DoD Armed Forces Branch is the term that describes the encapsulation of the Military Services which include the United States Army, United States Navy, United States Air Force, the United States Marine Corps, and the United States Coast Guard.

## Permitted Values

Air Force  
Army  
Marine Corps  
Navy  
Coast Guard

## Structural Business Rules

See Member Pay Grade Tabular Business Rule in the Appendix for the relationship between Member Pay Grade, Member Military Personnel Class, Member Uniformed Service Branch, and Member Uniformed Service Rank.

## Reference Documents

14 USC 3  
10 USC 101 (a)(5)  
Joint Publication 1-02, Armed Forces of the United States

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